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SUBJECT: Request for Human Rights Vetting for U.S. Sponsored
Training: Response Maritime Violence Seminar, Belize, February 22
through February 26, 2010

(1) (SBU) Pursuant to the Leahy Act and Foreign Assistance Act, Post requests the Department's assistance in screening the following candidates of the Surinamese Defense Forces, who have been nominated for the Response Maritime Violence Seminar, in Belize, scheduled from February 22 through February 26, 2010. With the exception of Major Uno Kranenburg, Post has no derogatory information on the nominees. Major Kranenburg reportedly suffered from a cocaine and alcohol addiction four to five years ago according to the military police, court police, and his local congregation, but has allegedly rehabilitated himself. Post does not believe that this should adversely impact his candidacy in the aforementioned training.

(2) (SBU)

KRANENBURG, UNO

DOB: 08 JAN 1958

POB: Paramaribo, Suriname

Street Address: Leeuwenstien Straat #3

Ministry/Agency: Defense/Surinamese Armed Forces

Rank: Major

Years of Service: 30 years

Passport Number: SP 1001117

Passport Expiration: 06 DEC 2012

HANOEMAN, ROWINDERSING

DOB: 07 APRIL 1957

POB: Paramaribo, Suriname

Street Address: Dagboeblad Straat #42

Ministry/Agency: Defense/Surinamese Armed Forces

Rank: Captain

Years of Service: 28 years

Passport Number: R 1077677

Passport Expiration: 13 JUNE 2012

BLOKLAND, FRANKLIN

DOB: 07 APRIL 1962

POB: Paramaribo, Suriname

Street Address: Frederikshoop Weg #55

Ministry/Agency: Defense/Surinamese Armed Forces

Rank: Captain

Years of Service: 22 years

Passport Number: R 1132223

Passport Expiration: 16 FEB 2014

HASSELBAINK, MERRELYN

DOB: 27 AUG 1978

POB: Paramaribo, Suriname

Street Address: Hanoverlaan #15

Ministry/Agency: Defense/Surinamese Armed Forces

Rank: Deputy of Bureau of International Relations (Civilian/Admin)

Years of Service: 5 years

Passport Number: SP 1001137

Passport Expiration: 17 FEB 2014

(3) (U) Post appreciates the Department's assistance.
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